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Dear FCC Personnel;

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This is an appeal for your denial of funding letter for the reason of postmarked outside of the window.

Please accept my apology for this being past the 60 days from June 29th. I had our principal call to explain that I don't work at school during the summer. I have always indicated in my applications that the preferred mode of contact is email but that must just go to the vendors. I found the USAC letter in my summer school mail on Thursday the 13th of September.

I believed that I had completed the 470 form as I had checked it off as completed in my organizer. When I tried to complete the 471 I kept having problems and finally called the help line. The person I talked to informed me that she had bad news and that I hadn't completed the 470 application. I'm guessing that I must have prematurely checked it off as completed and tried to send it electronically and couldn't find the pin number.

I asked the help line attendant what I could do and she said to start the 470, wait the 28 days, file the 471 which would be outside of the window and then do an appeal.

I have been doing this for 10 years and never have been late before. Please consider my appeal as it was an honest mistake on my part and we are a very small school that depends on this money as we are hurting financially.

Please let me know what documentation I could possibly provide for this appeal.

Sincerely,


Rick Uttech

Contact Information:

1. Rick Uttech
2. Granada Huntley East Chain Elementary School, 395 280th Ave., Blue Earth, MN 56013
3. Ph. # (507) 773-4203
4. Fax # (507) 773-4214
5. Email = rick.uttech@ghec.k12.mn.us
6. CC Docket No. 02-6

Other Information:

1. Appellant name = Rick Uttech for the Granada Huntley East Chain School Dist.
2. Applicant = Granada Huntley East Chain School Dist. # 2536
3. BEN = 133779
4. Application number 587655 as assigned by USAC
5. "Funding Year 2007 Form 471 Postmarked Outside of Window Letter."

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Request for Waiver

To: Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
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445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

From: Kathy Steinert
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Re: CC Docket No. 02-6
CC Docket No. 96-45
Request for Waiver

ADMINISTRATION

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Company Name: Mt. Olive Twp School District
Billed Entity Name: Mt. Olive Twp. School District
Application Number: 562011
Billed Entity Number: 123053

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Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Kathy Steinert

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TO: Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
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FROM: Dr. Rosalie S. Lamonte, Superintendent
Mount Olive School District

DATE: September 14, 2007

SUBJECT: Appeal of Postmarked Decision

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Thank you for any assistance you may be able to provide.

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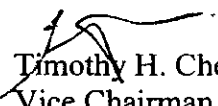
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To Schools and Libraries:

This is to certify that Kathryn E. Steinert was undergoing radiation therapy treatment for breast cancer from December 1, 2006 through January 19, 2007 at the Carol G. Simon Cancer Center, Morristown Memorial Hospital.

Sincerely,


Timothy H. Chen, MD
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Administrator's Decision on Appeal – Funding Year 2007-2008

August 13, 2007

Kathy Steinert
Mount Olive Twp School Dist
89 Route 46
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Re: Applicant Name: MOUNT OLIVE TWP SCHOOL DIST
Billed Entity Number: 123053
Form 471 Application Number: 562011
Funding Request Number(s): 1628352, 1629575, 1629577, 1629578, 1629579,
1629585, 1630151
Your Correspondence Dated: July 18, 2007

The Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) received your request for a waiver of the Application Filing Deadline for Funding Year 2007 of the Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism.

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) rules do not permit USAC to consider requests for waivers. If you believe there is a basis for further examination of your request, you may file a waiver request with the FCC. You should refer to CC Docket No. 02-6 on the first page of your waiver request to the FCC. If you are submitting your waiver request via United States Postal Service, send to: FCC, Office of the Secretary, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. Further information and options for filing a waiver request with the FCC can be found in the "Appeals Procedure" posted in the Reference Area of the SLD section of the USAC website or by contacting the Client Service Bureau. We strongly recommend that you use the electronic filing options.

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